

REMARKS

Claims 1, 7, 11, 13, 17, 18, 24, 25, 28, and 29 are amended. Claims 33, 34, and 35 are added. Claims 2-6, 8-10, 12, 15-16, 19, 22-23, 26-27, and 30-32 are canceled without prejudice.

Support for the amendments may be found, for example, in the original claims as shown in the following tables:

Amended Claim	Support
1	original claims 1, 6, 9, and 10
7	original claims 6 and 7
11	original claims 10 and 11
13	original claims 12 and 13
17	original claims 15, 16, and 17
18	original claims 15 and 18
24	original claim 24
25	original claim 25
28	original claim 28
29	original claim 29

New Claim	Support
33	original claim 24
34	original claim 25
35	original claim 28

Examination and consideration of the application as amended is requested and allowance of claims 1, 7, 11, 13, 14, 17, 18, 20, 21, 24, 25, 28, 29, and 33-35, as amended, at an early date is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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